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For: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
INJECTIONS COILED TUBING IN WELLS**

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Please amend the reexamination application as follows and as shown in the attached
"Version with Markings to Show Changes Made."

In the Claims:

Please amend claims 7, 8 and 11 in the reexamination as set forth below:

7. The apparatus of claim [1] 6 wherein said opposed pivotable bullnose arms are horizontally slidably attached to said cradle frame to accept a range of storage spool widths.

8. The apparatus of claim [1] 6 wherein said opposed pivotable bullnose arms are vertically slidably attached to said cradle frame to accept a range of storage spool diameters.

11. A method of retrieving a length of coiled tubing from beneath a surface and storing said tubing on a tubing storage spool comprising:

rotating a reel for receiving said coiled tubing at an angle less than 90° to said surface;

exerting pressure against more than 90° of the circumference of said reel while running said tubing around a portion of said circumference to exert pressure against said

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